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## **NCSRCC to hold Community Open House for Regional Office and Training Center in Papillion**

PAPILLION, NE — The North Central States Regional Council of Carpenters (NCSRCC) will host a Community Open House for its Regional Office and Training Center in Papillion, Neb., Wednesday, October 14, 2015, from 3-6 p.m. A ribbon-cutting ceremony with the Sarpy County Chamber of Commerce will commence at 5 p.m. Other activities will include tours, demonstrations, projects with kids, a blood drive and more.

The building is located at 10761 Virginia Plaza (108<sup>th</sup> and Giles Road) in Papillion. The new facility houses office space for Council staff, member training facilities, meeting and office space for Locals 427, 1306 and 1463, and a branch office for Wilson-McShane, which provides benefit funds for members.

“The Carpenters Union is very excited to make our home in the Papillion community,” said NCSRCC Executive Director Pat Nilsen. “This modern facility will meet the needs of our growing membership in both Omaha and Lincoln, and give them and contractors a single location for all of their needs.”

Previously, the Regional Office and Local offices were in separate locations in Omaha.

“The training center will offer state-of-the-art training in craftsmanship, productivity and safety to apprentices and journey-level members in Nebraska and Western Iowa,” said NCSRCC Executive Secretary-Treasurer John Raines. “Our Council, our membership and our partner contractors are all excited about this next step in providing our industry with the best trained, most productive and safest workforce available.”

NCSRCC has partnered with Nebraska Community Blood Bank to host a blood drive from 1-5 p.m. To donate blood, sign up online at [www.ncbb.org](http://www.ncbb.org). In the lower left corner under online scheduler, enter zip code 68128 and sponsor code NCC. Or, call 402-486-9414.

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*The North Central States Regional Council of Carpenters represents nearly 20,000 members in 28 Locals throughout Iowa, Minnesota, Nebraska, North Dakota, South Dakota and Wisconsin. Members include carpenters, interior systems carpenters, millwrights, pile drivers and floor coverers. It is governed by the United Brotherhood of Carpenters and Joiners of America.*